

SINN FEIN MURDER RAID ON BRITISH OFFICIALS

TWO HUNDRED GUN-MEN KILL FOURTEEN OFFICIALS IN DUBLIN

TWO OFFICERS WERE SHOT IN BED IN PRESENCE OF THEIR WIVES

MILITARY MAKES COUNTER RAID ON SINN FEINERS IN WHICH 12 ARE KILLED

(United Press)

Dublin, Ireland, Nov. 22.—State police forces today systematically raided Sinn Fein gathering places in search for leaders of the outbreak here yesterday.

"Black and Tan" police were supported in the raid by patrol of troops and machine gun squads.

The number killed in yesterday's murder raids on British officials remained at fourteen with twelve victims reported in the counter raids of police at Crope Park. Ten were shot at Crope Park and two were killed in a stampede that followed at Crope Park.

Disturbances continued into the night. A number of persons were reported killed. Police and soldiers on patrol duty had instructions to keep the streets clear.

Hospitals were reported filled with wounded. The official report said only eighty had been injured in the fight.

Fires along Dublin docks were extinguished with little damage. They were reported to have been accidental.

All roads were blocked today by heavy patrol of soldiers and police, backed by armored lorries. All conveyances were searched for arms and all persons were forced to deliver any papers in their possession.

Railroads operated no trains. The docks were watched as carefully as the other means of egress.

Irish authorities declared numerous important Sinn Fein documents relating to plans for further attacks were taken in the raids on Crope Park.

The Sinn Fein attack was launched at 9 A. M. Sunday when two hundred gunmen conducted simultaneous raids on the quarters of British officials. A major, six captains and five lieutenants were among the victims. The raiders gained admission to hotel apartments and private residences by force. Some of the victims were caught in their beds. Two were shot in the presence of their wives. The raiders withdrew from Captain Newbury's apartment leaving the officer's body hanging limply from a window and the newly made widow screaming in fright.

Six officers were reported to have been wounded in these raids. The Irish office acted at once.

Orders closing roads were issued and strong forces were sent to Crope Park where it was hoped some of the raiders could be apprehended.

There about six thousand persons had gathered to watch a hockey match. Apparently the crowd in general had not been told of the outbreak for it was quietly watching the game.

The government version of what followed was that Sinn Fein pickets at the outskirts of the crowd fired on approaching police and that the fire was returned, ten pickets being killed. The crowd at the first shot was in confusion. Exits were blocked and men trampled over the women in an effort to avoid the fire of the Sinn Fein pickets and police. A man and woman were trampled to death as the six thousand surged backward and forward fighting for safety.

Seventy were injured there. Most of them were hurt in the skirmish and a few suffered bullet wounds. The Irish officers said documents of great value were taken from prisoners seized in the encounter.

The officers attacked in the morning raids were all connected actively in search for Sinn Fein leaders.

Spread of Assassinations to England Is Feared

London, Nov. 22.—Spread of assassinations to England was feared today following Dublin's red Sunday. Heavy guards were established in White Hall and Downing Street and

SIR JOHN M. JONES



Sir John Morris Jones, M. A., LL. D., a well-known Welsh savant, is visiting American universities.

A large body of troops were reported held in readiness for quick dispatch to Ireland. The London Press called for determined action by the government to suppress further outbreaks. Punishment for leaders of the raids was urged. At the same time there was criticism of the government for its policy of "candoring" police reprisals and "thus permitting outrages of this nature to occur."

More Bodies of Victims Found

Dublin, Nov. 22.—(2:40 P. M.)—The bodies of several additional victims of the fight between Sinn Feiners and British forces were found in the streets of Dublin today.

The confusion throughout the city was so great that it was impossible to tell how or when they had been killed. The biggest round up of Sinn Feiners in the history of the rebellion was in full swing. Scores of rebels here and at Queenstown were arrested. Detachments of troops were watching buildings in Dublin, Queenstown and other cities.

The lord mayor of Dublin appealed for police protection. Squads of black and tans went to guard him.

Panic reigned in Dublin and many other cities. Railway service was suspended and railroad yards were unusually quiet.

In many parts of Dublin where it is usually noisy there was no sound today but tramping of the armed patrol.

Pedestrians everywhere were being halted and searched by troops and in many cases the pedestrians would be surrounded by soldiers and hurried away.

Resumption of fighting was believed to be imminent.

BOLSHEVIKS CRUSH UKRAINIAN ARMY

MOSCOW WIRELESS SAYS COMMANDER HAS ABANDONED TROOPS AND FLED

(United Press)

Riga, Nov. 22.—Ukrainian opposition to Russian troops has disintegrated, according to a Moscow wireless today. The wireless said General Simon Petliura, anti-bolshevik leader, had abandoned his troops which are expected to dissolve immediately.

Polish-Russian peace negotiations were broken off here yesterday. Russian delegates declared that Poland had violated the armistice terms relating to disposition of troops.

SOCIALISTS AND ANTI-SOCIALISTS CLASH

(United Press)

Bologne, Nov. 22.—Seven persons were killed and thirty injured in a clash between socialists and anti-socialists here late yesterday following the inauguration of the new municipal council. Hundreds of shots were exchanged between the two factions.

WHEAT DEFINITELY ON PREWAR LEVEL; SLUMPS 8 CENTS

DECEMBER CONTRACT CLOSES AT \$1.52½—FLOUR BREAKS THROUGH \$9 MARK

HOGS AT SOUTH ST. PAUL SELL AT LOWEST PRICE SINCE JANUARY, 1917

Minneapolis, Nov. 22.—Minneapolis wheat prices established themselves firmly in the ground they occupied in August and September, 1916, when the December contract fell 8 cents to \$1.51 a bushel in Friday's trading and closed at \$1.52½. Wheat for December delivery was bought yesterday for half or a little less than half the price that prevailed for cash wheat just before the first of the new crop of United States wheat came on the market from the southwest, traders pointed out. The high price during wartime was \$3.50 a bushel.

Oats, meanwhile, selling at 38½¢ a bushel, were at a price where it would take two bushels of oats to trade for one dozen eggs. Retail prices for the latter ranged yesterday from 77¢ to 80¢ a dozen in Minneapolis.

Flour declined with the two successive heavy declines in wheat prices and best family patents, quoted variously at \$8.90 to \$9.20 a barrel "on car" in Minneapolis, broke through the \$9 mark for the first time since the wartime rise began four years ago.

Saturday closing prices for December wheat at the end of the last three weeks were as follows: Nov. 6, \$1.83½; Nov. 13, \$1.68½; Nov. 20, \$1.52½.

Wheat receipts in Minneapolis were 441 cars, compared to 274 cars a year ago.

At South St. Paul, hogs sold Friday and Saturday at the lowest price since January, 1917, the average quotation being \$10.50, the 100 pounds. Cattle receipts there made a new high record for all time during the week just closed, 55,200 head.

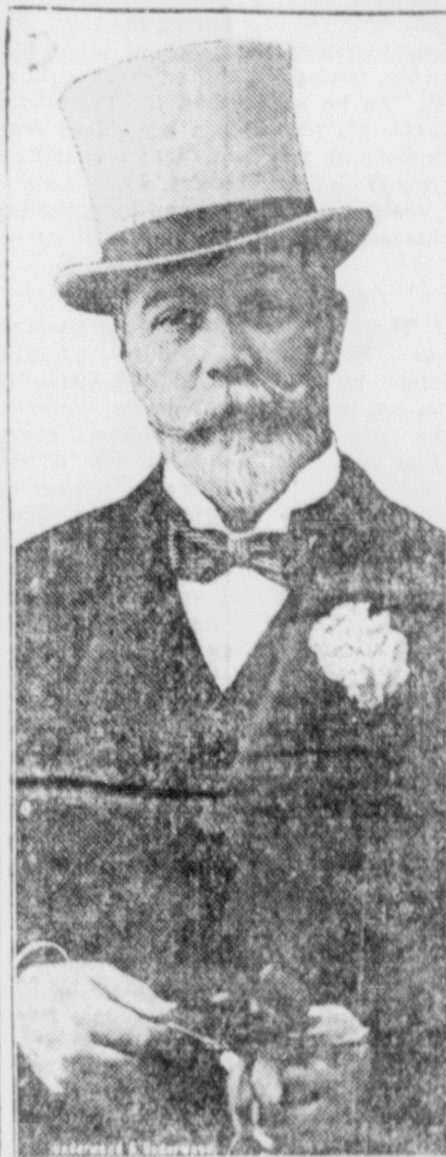
CHICAGO STAGES BIG VICE RAIDS

SEVEN HUNDRED AND FORTY-TWO ARRESTS MADE TODAY

(United Press)

Chicago, Nov. 22.—Chicago's great drive on criminals had netted 742 arrests today. Raids began here Sunday morning under the personal direction of Chas. Fitzmorris, new chief of police, extending into all parts of the city. Gambling houses and other places of vice were closed. Police obtained evidence involving a number of police captains. Nearly half of those arrested were said to have police records.

SIR JAMES LOWTHER



Sir James Lowther, speaker of the British house of commons since 1905, has been given a seat in the house of lords.

HARDINGS ATTEND RELIGIOUS SERVICE

STEAMER CARRIES ILLUSTRIOUS PARTY NEARING THE PANAMA CANAL

RAYMOND CLAPPER (United Press Staff Correspondent)

Aboard the Steamship Parismina, by Wireless via New Orleans, Nov. 22.—President-elect Harding's cabinet will be entirely composed of republicans and there will not be a coalition cabinet, according to the opinion of those close to Harding. The report that Senator Chamberlain, Oregon democrat, would be named secretary of war was declared to be unsound, although Chamberlain is a personal friend of the president-elect.

The Parismina carrying Harding and his party on a pleasure trip to the Panama canal zone, continued to sail through quiet tropical seas today. At the present rate of speed the destination will be reached early tomorrow.

A miniature copy of Harding's newspaper, the Marion Star, was distributed as a souvenir. The news is that received by wireless every day. Religious services were held Sunday. Mrs. Harding sang several hymns on deck in the afternoon. At vesper services at sunset Harding read "Lead Kindly Light" at the request of several of his fellow passengers.

CONCERTED EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO HELP THE FARMERS

BY ALL LEGISLATORS OF WEST AND MIDDLE WEST REGARDLESS OF PARTY

L. C. MARTIN.

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Washington, Nov. 22.—Party lines are to be obliterated and forgotten by middle west and western members of the house and senate this winter in an effort to remedy the situation which has stirred resentment among farmers and livestock raisers, it was learned here today.

Informal conferences held among republican and democratic senators from western states have resulted in a decision to hold a formal conference of all senators from western states soon after the December session begins, Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, said today.

At this conference a working program is to be mapped out if possible for concerted action by senators from farm and livestock states regardless of party, in the interest of the producer.

The first test of strength is to be made on the Kenyon-Kendrick packer bill which will come before the senate as soon as it meets.

Hitchcock said that he and other democratic senators will support the bill energetically and will seek to help remedy some of the evils the corn and wheat farmers are complaining of.

Senators hostile to any regulation of packers are prepared to talk the bill to death, but Hitchcock predicted they would have difficulty in sidetracking the measure because of the strong support at their command.

FARMERS TO FIGHT FALLING PRICES

BY ORGANIZING CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES SAYS NATIONAL BOARD OFFICER

(By United Press)

Washington, Nov. 22.—Four million farmers will organize to fight losses from falling prices through co-operative societies, Secretary Chas. A. Lyman of the National Board of Farm Organizations announced today.

"More farmers are joining the co-operative organization every day," said Lyman. "Prices are going so low that farmers are unable to produce food and stock at a profit."

Hogs is the latest farm product to fall. Quotations for live animals reached the lowest level today.

Detailed plans for more active means to fight falling prices will be made in a three day congress about Dec. 16 in St. Louis to which all co-operative societies in the country have been invited to send delegates.

MISS CLARISSA P. CURTIS



Miss Clarissa P. Curtis of Boston is engaged to wed Prince Michael Cantacuzene of Russia, whose mother was Julia Dent Grant, granddaughter of Ulysses S. Grant.

NO INCREASE IN BONUS PAYMENTS

EXPECTED BY STATE TREASURER RINES UNTIL LEGISLATURE MEETS

(United Press)

St. Paul, Nov. 22.—Henry Rines, state treasurer, one of the three state soldier bonus board officials, does not look for any substantial increase in payment of bonuses until after the legislature meets.

Rines, who has been in New York signing up certificates of indebtedness which have already been negotiated, said there was no market at present for these certificates at five per cent. The board still has approximately \$8,000,000 worth of these securities to dispose of. The state treasurer said he was in favor of the action taken by the board last week in stopping the sale of certificates to Minnesota banks after Nov. 25.

The next legislature will be asked to amend the law so that the five per cent interest clause shall be stricken out.

MOONEY CASE TO BE REOPENED

BECAUSE OF DETECTIVE'S CONFESSION THAT EVIDENCE ON WHICH HE WAS CONVICTED WAS FRAMED

(United Press)

San Francisco, Nov. 22.—District Attorney Matthew Brady announced that he would reopen the Thomas Mooney case before the county grand jury here immediately.

The announcement was the result of an alleged charge of Detective Draper Hand, who was active in gathering evidence on which Mooney was convicted of murder as a result of the San Francisco preparedness day bomb explosion in 1916, that evidence against Mooney was framed.

Brady declared the result of the grand jury investigation will be forwarded to Gov. W. D. Stevens.

Wireless Telephones From Tank to Tank Have Been Perfected

(By United Press)

Washington, Nov. 22.—Radio telephone conversations from tank to tank, back to headquarters and with airplanes has been perfected by the army tank corps, Brigadier General Rothenbach, chief of the corps, said in his annual report today.

All heavy tanks, without modification, can carry the apparatus. Ten light tanks with special turrets for the works have been procured and forty more are under construction.

HOUSE OF COMMONS IN UPROAR ON THE IRISH QUESTION

SETTING IS SUSPENDED TO RE-STORE ORDER—IRISH LEADER RE-ENTERS

By WEBB MILLER

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

London, Nov. 22.—The house of commons suspended its session today in an uproar growing out of discussions of Dublin murders.

Arthur Devlin, Irish leader, was the center of the disturbance. After firing a number of questions at Lloyd George he was repulsed and pulled back into his seat.

Others joined in the scuffle and the session was suspended in confusion.

The premier had been asked by another member "If he was willing to ask the commons for permission to shoot every member of the Sinn Fein murder gang if they could be caught."

Lloyd George said he believed the authorities would gradually control the situation, but he would not hesitate to ask additional power if he thought it necessary.

Devlin made several attempts to gain the floor while the premier talked. Others held him down. He managed finally to ask why the premier had not mentioned the massacres on the football field.

Black and tan police in Dublin were confined to their barracks today to prevent reprisals for murders there yesterday.

The order was issued by Chief Secretary Sir Hamar Greenwood after a conference with Andrew Bonar Law and Premier Lloyd George.

The black and tans were permitted to leave their barracks only on official permits.

REJECTED SUITOR KILLS SELF, FAMILY

TEXAS FARMER SLAYS GIRL, MOTHER AND BROTHER TO 'AVENGE' SPURNED LOVE

Mt. Vernon, Texas, Nov. 22.—Sam Lee, 25 years old, prominent Macon, Texas farmer and veteran of the world war, late Saturday shot and killed the entire family of three of the girl who refused to marry him. Lee then killed himself.

Lee started to "avenge" his spurned love by killing B. P. Bankston, 22 years old, out of a cross roads store. The suitor sat in his buggy and fired two shots. Bankston fell dead, and before bystanders could interfere Lee raced down the road. Men who followed him heard two shots and a mile from the first shooting found Ella and her mother lying in pools of blood near the Bankston home. Both were shot through the heart. Lee had fled.

Before he reached home, Lee stopped at a neighbor's.

"I don't care to live any longer," he told the friend. "Tell dad to sell my cotton and pay my funeral expenses."

Then Lee drew his pistol and shot himself twice. This did not prove fatal, so the farmer soldier walked into another room, lay down on the bed and shot himself again. Lee and Miss Bankston quarreled two weeks ago, neighbors said, and the young Bankston ordered Lee to "leave his sister alone."

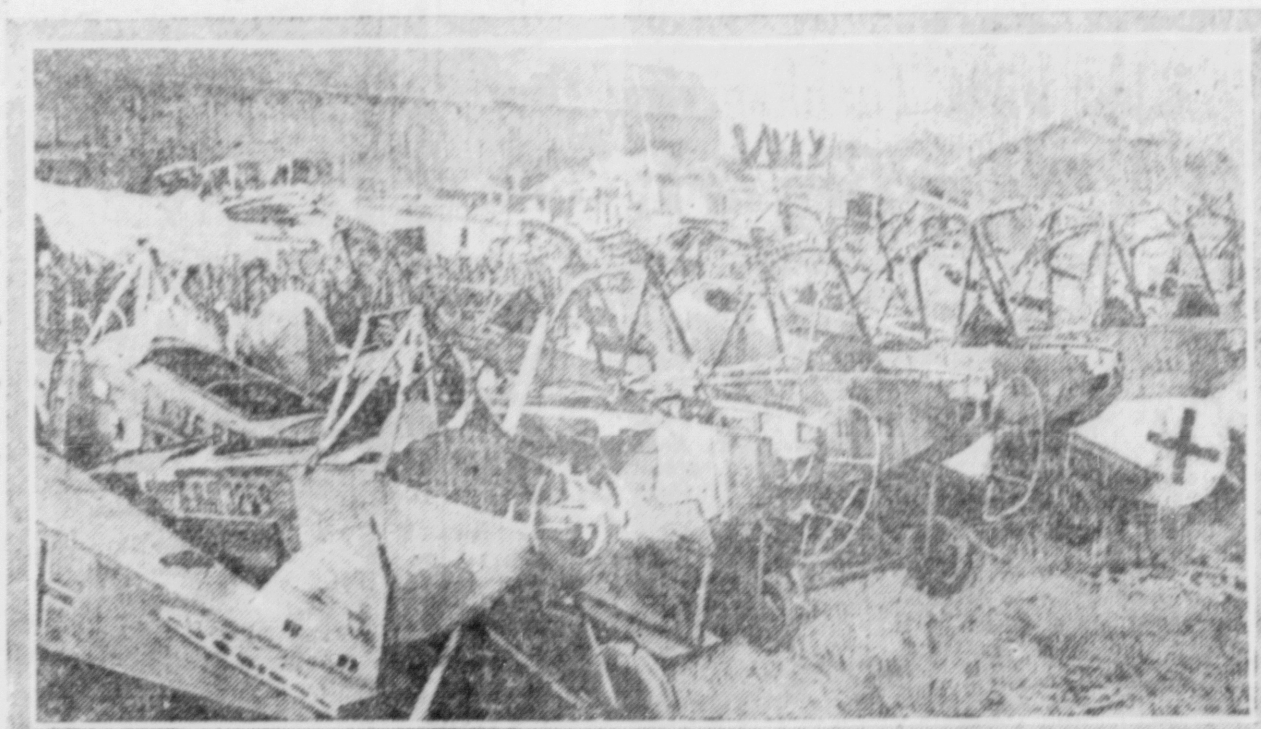
Berger's Attorney Asks Dismissal of Cases Against Socialists

(United Press)

Washington, Nov. 22.—Victor L. Berger's attorney, Seymour Stedman, filed a brief with the supreme court today asking dismissal of the government's suit against the Milwaukee socialist for violation of the espionage act.

The brief contends that the United States is not at war with Germany and therefore prosecution would be abated.

German War Planes Ready for the Scrap Heap



Under the terms of the treaty of Versailles, Germany is getting rid of her war materials. This photograph shows some several thousand war planes which were assembled at the Johannisthal flying field for the purpose of being scrapped.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for the week—Generally fair and normal temperature first part of week. Rain or snow about Wednesday, followed by fair and colder.

Nov. 20—Maximum 38, minimum 30. Reading in evening 32. Northeast wind. Cloudy.

Nov. 21—Maximum 36, minimum 30. Reading in evening 39. Trace rain and snow. Precipitation, 0.07 inch. North wind.

Nov. 22—Minimum during the night, 21. Clear. North wind.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES



For spring water phone 264.

Roy Kelsey of Jenkins was in Brainerd to have some dental work done.

EAGLES
Regular Meeting Tuesday, Nov. 23 in Citizens State Bank Hall. Please Attend. Get the Habit.

The regular meeting of the water and light board is Tuesday evening, Nov. 30.

Prove your Americanism—Renew your Red Cross membership, before Thanksgiving Day.

Fred McNaughton was fined \$10 for speeding on Kindred street with his runabout.

38TH ANNUAL BALL
Given By
HOPE HOSE CO. NO. 1
Gardner Auditorium
THANKSGIVING DAY NIGHT
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Cass Lake has a girls basketball team, training under the guidance of Miss Alice Gallagher.

Mrs. C. H. Siebel and her sister, Mrs. S. C. Collins of Pine River visited in Brainerd.

Only a few more days in which to answer the Fourth Roll Call. Say "present" today.

Mrs. M. E. Stauner came up from Brainerd for a short visit at the J. D. Cleary home—Staples World.

APPLES FOR SALE
\$.150 and \$.175 Per Basket
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The Dispatch will print no paper Thanksgiving Day and it behooves advertisers to herald their holiday store news before Thursday.

Barber shops will be open Wednesday evening, Nov. 24, to 9 P. M.

Pine River visitors in Brainerd were Mrs. A. E. Fremling, Miss Helene Anderson, Miss Emma Johnson, Miss Lulu Thompson, Mrs. H. B. Tuttle.

25% Discount on guaranteed castings. Just think 1/4 off. Get your tires for fall use. Bane Auto Co., 220, 7th St. So.

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Jenkins people shopping in Brainerd were Mrs. Martin Satre, Mrs. Patricia Puttin, Miss Inga Dropping, Miss Helen Degnan, Miss Margaret Moritz, Miss Edna Gilmore.

ENGRAVED XMAS CARDS—New and complete line. Place your order now with the Brainerd Office Supply Co., 614 Laurel street.

W. E. Barnard of Pequot was high man at the creamery there, receiving a cream check for October amounting to \$140.61. Twenty-eight other farmers received varying amounts from \$40.11 to \$97.15.

There was no district court session today. Judge W. S. McClennahan was not feeling well and adjournment was taken to Tuesday

morning at 9 o'clock. The case of Clarence Soder is still on trial.

Prove your Americanism—Renew your Red Cross membership, before Thanksgiving Day.

Frank Mee last week sold his house on the west side of the village to Sam Dower. Mr. Peterson is at present building a new home in Brainerd where he will live as soon as his house is completed. Mr. Dower will then take possession of the Peterson residence.—Pillager Herald.

Store your battery with us. We will call for and deliver. Willard Service Station. Phone 11.

Dispatch wants measured well on Saturday evening. There were 9 help wanted, 14 for sale, 8 for rent, 12 miscellaneous wants. Wants are a cent a word, cash. Telephone the Dispatch, Northwest 74, or mail the ad or have it sent to the office. They solve the small worries of life.

Big Dance Thursday, Nov. 25th, Johnson Bros. hall, Fort Ripley. Tibbets Orchestra.

Mrs. Harriet Purdy Smith, whose summer home is on the shores of Potato lake, is directing the production of "The Court of King Cole," which is to be staged soon at Brainerd by the American Legion Post of that city. Mrs. Smith directed this musical extravaganza when it was produced here several years ago. It made a decided hit.—Park Rapids Enterprise.

The Never Sweets defeated the Vernon Dieckhaus eleven by an 13 to 3 score Saturday afternoon at the Whittier school grounds. Stars of the Never Sweets were Jimmy Tinkolaugh and Albert Edling. On the Vernon Dieckhaus team the stars were Roland Golenboske and Joseph Day. A delegation of the victors rushed breathlessly with the score to the Dispatch office, but too late to get it into the Saturday edition.

The New Park Theatre was crowded Saturday and Sunday, all shows pleasing the audiences. All Brainerd is becoming accustomed to seeing only the best in the film world at the New Park, and frequently this theatre secures releases ahead of St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth.

Rushworth Encampment I. O. O. F. will meet tonight at 8 o'clock.

REGAINED PROVINCES MAKE UP FOR FRANCE'S GREAT WAR TOLL

(United Press)
Paris, Nov. 22—Despite France's loss of 1,750,000 soldiers during the war, as well as the fact that her death rate, she is confident that the next census to be taken in March, 1921, will not show a decrease in population.

However, this will be due exclusively to the fact that there will be included in her census the population of the provinces returned to her by the war, namely the departments of the Upper and Lower Rhine and the Moselle, or in other words Alsace-Lorraine. It is expected that the total population will thus remain close to 40,000,000.

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SOFT DRINK JOINTS SELLING STUFF WITH "KICK" IN ST. PAUL

(United Press)
St. Paul, Nov. 22—Police yesterday announced three hundred soft drink parlors in the city were selling stuff with a "kick."

The soft drink parlors had rushing business yesterday. Twenty-five "drunks" were in police court today—a new one day record since the inauguration of what is termed "prohibition."

Rehearing in Wage Controversy Between Packers and Employees

(By United Press)
Chicago, Nov. 22—Due to the general business depression, Judge Samuel Aischuler, arbiter in the wage controversy between packers and their employees, today agreed to reopen their hearing into the wage conditions.

Judge Aischuler said that he would not permit any prolonged hearing and his decision is expected in about two weeks. It will effect about two hundred thousand employees.

SENATOR McCORMICK LEAVES FOR EUROPE

(By United Press)
Washington, Nov. 22—Senator McMill McCormick, of Illinois, will sail from New York tomorrow to observe conditions in Europe, particularly with respect to the possibility of forming a new association of nations such as President-elect Harding plans. McCormick said he expected to spend the remainder of the year in Europe combining a vacation with investigation of conditions.

LEAGUE COUNCIL TO HELP ARMENIA

(United Press Staff Correspondent)
Geneva, Nov. 22—The league of nations today summoned the league council to take immediate steps to aid Armenia.

Voting unanimously for the first time the assembly adopted the resolution presented by Rene Viviani of France to whom the Armenian question was referred, to determine the scope of the league action.

Newberry Case Advanced

(By United Press)
Washington, Nov. 22—The supreme court today decided to advance to Jan. 3 the argument on the appeal of Senator Truman H. Newberry from his conviction by a Michigan federal court on charges of violating the federal corrupt practice act during his senatorial campaign.

GRAIN RATES ARE SUSPENDED

(United Press)
Washington, Nov. 22—The interstate commerce commission today suspended until March 22, 1921, proposed increases in railroad grain rates from St. Louis, Minneapolis, Chicago and Peoria to Kansas City, Mo.

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Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., address clearly. You will receive in Chicago, Ill., writing your name and return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. H. P. Dunn, druggist, mfw

Rode Horseback 5,000 Miles.
The record for the longest individual ride of which an authentic account has been given is held by Lieut. Penckhof of the Russian cavalry. In 1882 he rode from his station in distant Siberia, a place with an unpronounceable name, to St. Petersburg, a distance of over 5,000 miles, in 193 days. This was more of an endurance than a speed test. Riding an ordinary pony of Siberian breed, carrying no baggage or provisions, he averaged thirty-seven miles a day and often made more than fifty-six miles a day. He rested at night. He used the same horse throughout the trip. Starting every morning at 7, he generally made but one stop for rest during the day, simply loosening the girth of his saddle while resting, but retired every night at 9. As he approached St. Petersburg after his long ride a life guard regiment with two bands met him and escorted him into the city, where he was received by the czar and knighted for his achievement.

Record Horseback Rides.
There is a reliable account given of an Englishman, Squire Oshaldstone, having ridden, in 1831, 200 miles in ten hours. In doing this, however, he rode 16 horses and changed every four miles. A wonderful test of endurance and pluck was the case of Capt. Charles Townley, another English cavalryman, who, in 1849, rode with dispatches from Belgrade to Constantinople, 820 miles. He remained in the saddle five days and 11 hours without rest, except on one occasion for six hours and the time consumed in changing to fresh horses. Twice the horse he rode dropped under him from exhaustion. It was a historic ride, for upon the event of his arriving in Constantinople ahead of all other couriers hung the decision of the war, which by his accomplishing the feat was averted.

Land of Fire and Ice.
Geological map of Iceland by Dr. Thoroddsen, who has spent many years on the work, gives much information about one of the world's most wonderful islands which few visitors ever see.

An example of the strangeness of Iceland is furnished by the volcano Katla. This is buried under immense snow fields, but from time to time its fires burst through the glittering blanket, and then such floods are poured from the melting ice that a great stretch of country between the volcano and the sea is inundated and huge masses of ice are carried out into the ocean.

It is unsafe to cross the territory lying between Katla and the sea, so suddenly come the floods.

Visions of Great Minds.
Every great mind seeks to labor for eternity. All men are captivated by immediate advantages; great minds alone are excited by the prospect of distant good.—Schiller.

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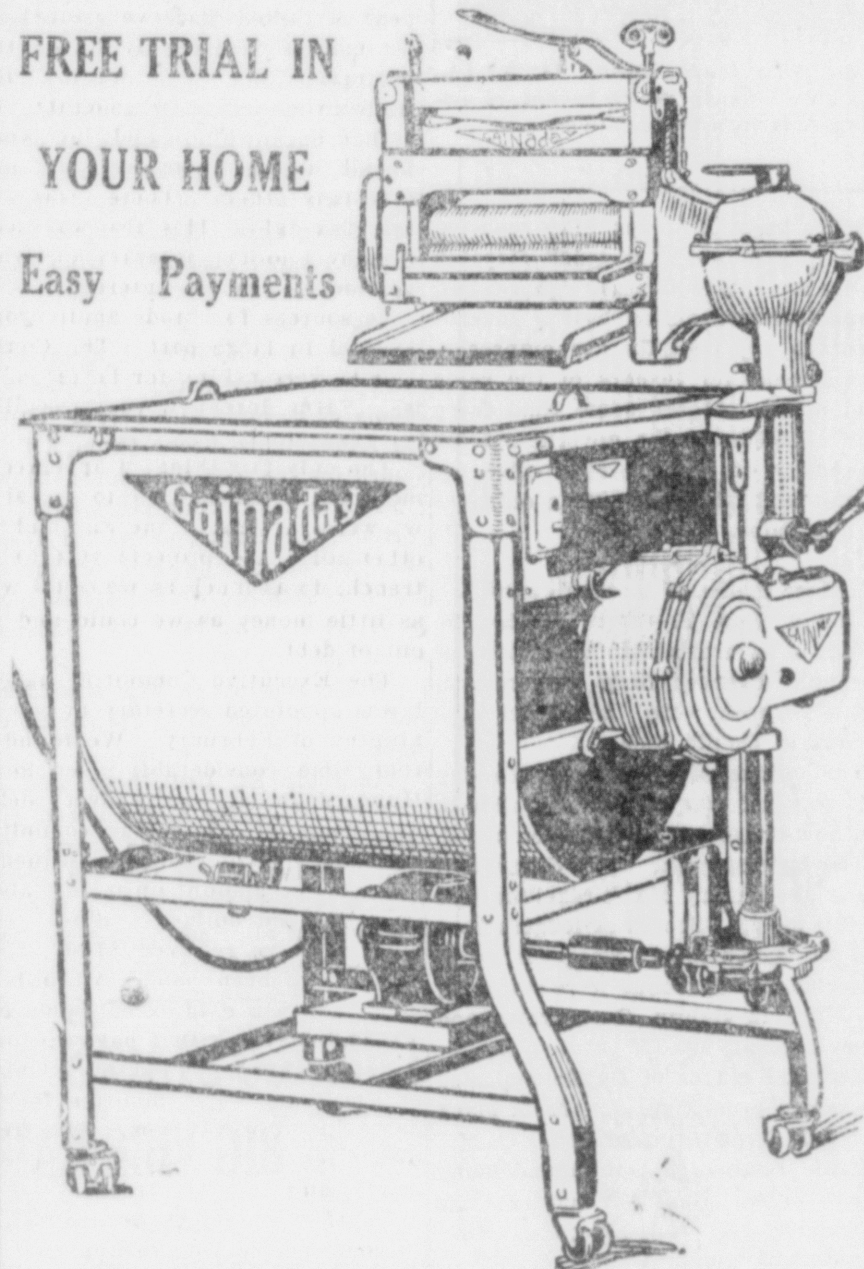
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SIMPLEST THINGS

You know the simplest things burn under boilers to make have been the longest awaiting discovery. Mergenthaler had his wonderful typesetting machine perfected for several years—all but the simplest thing about it. And that simple little thing was the "spaceband" that separated the words. But it was the hardest thing to get. The phonograph is so simple that the first time you saw one you felt like going out behind the woodshed and kicking yourself because you did not invent it. For a century men carried coal and wood to

burn under boilers to make steam to generate power. Along came a man who discovered the simple expedient of exploding gasoline in a cylinder and hitching the recoil to the machinery. And a few years ago Dr. Palmer, of Davenport, discovered the spine is the keyboard to health, and he and others have perfected the theory of spinal adjustments until now it is a DEMONSTRATED FACT that the cause of disease is in the spine, and Chiropractic Vertebral adjustments eliminate this cause in the majority of human afflictions.

X-RAY EQUIPMENT

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CHURCH SCHOOLS OF THE CITY

Methodist Church School
The school was assembled again Sunday as 230 were present. The next assemblage will be made when 250 are present, which from the enthusiasm of the school, will be soon.

Mrs. H. F. Michael, advisor of the Senior department was present for the first time since her operation. Their president, Earl Fitzsimmons says: "now we will gain in numbers, watch our dust!"

The teacher training class will meet at the church Tuesday evening. Following this a meeting of the cabinet will be held. This consists of the superintendents of the various departments and the general officers.

The Philathea Bible class held their regular class meeting in the social rooms of the church November 17th. They were entertained by Mrs. D. T. Lawrence and Mrs. Arthur Kurz. The following officers were elected for six months:

President—Mrs. Arthur Kurz.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. Wm. Sasser.
Secretary—Mrs. E. E. Blackledge.
Asst. Sec'y.—Mrs. D. T. Lawrence.

Treasurer—Mrs. H. C. Zierke.
The class had an excellent attendance Sunday.

The Intermediate department was highest in attendance Sunday: 45 were present.

The superintendents are already presenting the claims of the Near East sufferers for which the Christmas offering will be taken.

The most lively and most potent organization in connection with the school for practical Christian work is the first Camp Fire group, Miss Maude Burrell guardian. They meet weekly and the credits the girls are receiving shows the activity of the girls. This group is now filled, there is a waiting list which is growing. The list is nearly large enough to organize into another group, which, it is expected, will be accomplished soon.

The school showed by their response, to the pastor yesterday, that they have learned the meaning of the new church slogan: "Our Church First."

The Camp Fire Girls have been rendering a fine service to the evening worship. For the last three Sunday evenings they have gone in a body as a choir. Last night they also furnished a pianist and two violinists from their number and rendered pleasing music.

Calendars for 1921 bearing a picture of the church and pastor and the slogan of the church have been ordered. These will be distributed by the Camp Fire Girls. What they make upon them will go to a piano fund for the room in which they hold their worship period.

Rebekah Social Club

Mrs. S. A. Stanley will entertain the Rebekah Social club at the I. O. O. F. hall Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. A large attendance is desired.

DEERWOOD

Deerwood, Minn., Nov. 20—Jay McCarroll is deer hunting and his place as section foreman is being filled by Ray M. Barber.

Deer have been seen a mile from Deerwood. Oscar W. Nelson killed one in his yard.

Joseph Smith attended a road-masters meeting in St. Paul.

M. J. Moore got a number of ducks off Serpent lake Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sundberg visited in Brainerd.

Abrahamson Christensen and Leon Mattson have each killed a deer.

The Norwegian Ladies Aid was entertained by Mrs. Anton Torgerson and Mrs. Peter Christensen at the Ladies Aid hall.

P. A. Gough was in Brainerd Tuesday on business matters.

Charles W. Potts will soon return to Arkansas where he is operating a manganese mine.

Earl Archibald shot a deer near Cloquet.

A party including Elmer Pearson and J. L. Davis of Dykeman, Isaac Congdon and Wm. Smith of Brainerd and Charles Davis of Annandale were successful in a deer hunt near Malmo.

William Raymond is studying chiropractic healing at Deavenport, Iowa.

There will be a basket social at Hamlet lake school Saturday evening, Nov. 27.

Skating is excellent near Deerwood.

Mrs. B. A. Butler is visiting her sons in Brainerd.

Mrs. C. P. DeLaitre has been a guest of Mrs. Robert Archibald, leaving Friday afternoon for two Harbors.

SULLIVAN GOT MARRIED

Candidate for Nonpartisan Attorney-General Won a Wife, Was Townley's Stenographer

Thomas V. Sullivan, who campaigning in Brainerd said he had a platform with three provisions: "He wanted to be attorney general, he wanted to get married and he wanted to free Ireland," missed the election and Ireland is still fighting—but Sullivan got married.

The Alexandria "Echo" gives this mention:

Thos. V. Sullivan, independent candidate for attorney general, is not worrying about election returns from the recent election.

Whether he won or lost the attorney general's office, he won just the same.

He won something Nov. 2 which interests him more than all the offices.

For Tuesday he won a wife.

Mr. Sullivan was married Tuesday to one of the finest little girls in all the state. That is the reason why he is not worrying over the election. The Echo has not as yet been able to find out the young lady's name. All we know about her is that she is an unusually capable young lady and that she has been employed as President A. C. Townley's stenographer. Mr. Townley will lose a mighty good stenographer, but Tom Sullivan doesn't care a rap about that—under the circumstances.

The people of Douglas county, thru the Echo, offer heartfelt congratulations and best wishes.



The nuptial dumplings in the "Court of King Cole"

Good for Him and His Wife

Hurley L. Watkins, 2308 Lytle St., Louisville, Ky., writes: "I found Foley's Honey and Tar just what I wanted for my wife's and my colds." Checks coughs, colds, croup, bronchial coughs; stops that "tickling" throat that keeps one coughing at night. Contains no opiates nor habit forming drugs. H. P. Dunn, druggist.

Privacy.

"Living without privacy," said an observant woman the other day, "as one must in an apartment or boarding house, leads us to nervous shipwreck. We feel the strain of too close contact with the other members of our family and with our neighbors. But we do not know what the trouble is. We feel that something is wrong with the place we are living and we move. We simply move from one box to another. What we need is more room—room enough for privacy—room enough to be alone."

She "Sure Does Appreciate"

Lola Leonore Francis, R. F. D. 1, Tex., writes: "I sure do appreciate Foley Kidney Pills. Mother has taken them, and they stopped her from aching." Don't suffer when relief can be had. You can get rid of backache, rheumatic pains, sore muscles and stiff joints. Good for bladder weakness, too. H. P. Dunn, druggist.

ANNUAL REPORT OF N. M. D. A. SECRETARY

Achievements Reviewed by M. N. Koll Who Succeeded F. T. Lincoln as Secretary of Body

ASSOCIATION NOW DEBT FREE

Continues to be a Factor in Promoting the Best Interests of Northern Minnesota

M. N. Koll, secretary of the Northern Minnesota Development Association, made the following annual report at the Duluth winter meeting, in which he reviewed achievements and showed the organization will continue to be a factor in the development of Northern Minnesota. He said:

Fellow Boosters:

One year ago here at Duluth you generously elected me president of the Northern Minnesota Development Association. Up to that time I had never aspired to such a position in our organization. When I had been president for a short time Mr. Lincoln informed me that he contemplated resigning and accepting a more remunerative position in similar work in Montana.

When Mr. Lincoln did resign, I had had time enough to think over the situation we were in financially and I did that which I had thought I would never do, that is I asked the Executive Committee to appoint me secretary. I had in mind that the year would be a difficult one from the standpoint of raising money. There was the campaign for Amendment No. One which we wanted, being handled principally by another organization. They would need funds in much larger amounts than we had been getting, and they would tap all the same sources we had used and many others. There was the Fair Tax fight. This also was taken over by another organization which we were very much interested. The same sources for funds again would be used in large part. The County Agents were asking for larger salaries. Farm Bureau work was calling for more funds.

The only fair thing, it appeared to me for our association to do, since we were backing in one way and another all these projects was to retrench, do as much as we could with as little money as we could and get out of debt.

The Executive Committee agreed. I was appointed secretary at the beginning of February. We found at that time considerably over Seven Hundred Dollars of known debts. The debts of which the committee then had no knowledge subsequently brought the amount up to just about one thousand dollars. Since that date we have received \$1500. The debts have been paid. All bills to date have been paid except some possible minor items that have not been called to my attention by members of the Executive Committee for expense incurred by them. The treasurer's report will show just a very small balance in the treasury.

On that statement we are willing to come before you, feeling that we have done the best that could be done under the circumstances. We feel that the association is in as good a position for future good work as it has ever been—if not better.

It may fairly be said that more work could have been done by your present Executive Committee, had the financial situation been somewhat different. We have not done as much in some respects as has been done in some of the prior years in some respects. Let me call your attention to some of the things we have done.

We assisted to a considerable extent in arousing interest in the Lakes to Tidewater project. We entered an appearance for the association at the hearing of the International Joint Commission for the territory represented by our association, and the Chairman of the Commission informed your secretary that the work we did was effective and good. We sent out much printed educational matter on the subject and gathered considerable data.

We held the summer meeting at Bemidji at which the registered delegate attendance was ninety-six. At that meeting we showed to more than five thousand people an exhibit which did very much toward educating the people of Northern Minnesota to a knowledge of what the iron ore industry is to Northern Minnesota. A Food Fish exhibit was shown on a scale never before attempted in Northern Minnesota and the same thousands of people were made aware of the existence in the lakes of Northern Minnesota, of the various species of food fish. Many hundreds of these people learned to know of species of which they had never before heard. There was also shown the largest private collection of bird and game bird eggs in the west, being the property of Dr.

Longevin of Crookston. These exhibits were viewed not only by residents of Northern Minnesota, but by hundreds of tourists from other parts of the state and nation.

These exhibits were generously loaned to the association by the State Auditor's office, the State Game and Fish Commissioner's office and Dr. Longevin, and the association is under great obligation to them for these courtesies. President E. E. McDonald, of Bemidji, who worked very hard in order to make these exhibits possible has earned the thanks of the association for his fine work in this connection.

For the first time in several years we are meeting in annual meeting without having simultaneously meetings of one or two other organizations. A short explanation seems in order. A year ago the president of the Potato Growers Association informed me, the then president of our association that the potato growers referred to meet alone in 1920. This notion seems to have changed during the summer of 1920, but it was just too late to make other arrangements in our association.

As I look through the old resolutions, I find that in days gone by we were hard workers for the county agent system. We did our share toward making the system a success. I hope that the county agents in our section of Northern Minnesota will never get so strong that they will think it the proper thing to pass us up when we have meetings. We should and will always be glad to have them with us to help us work out those things which are for the best interests of Northern Minnesota. I feel that they should always attend our meetings, for the good of Northern Minnesota.

I have looked over the old records of the association. Let me enumerate a few of the progressive things we have done or assisted in doing in order that we may feel that our existence has been justified.

There are: Reapportionment of legislative representation. The one mill (sometimes called Dunn) Amendment for good roads. We helped pave the way for better drainage laws. We had the money that were invested in low interest foreign bonds brought back to the state for investment at home. Direct appropriations for state land in lieu taxes to assist in making local improvements. We secured monthly sales of State Lands. Agricultural instruction in high schools was promoted. The present State Forestry System was presented by this association and its adoption secured. The Revolving Fund Amendment to the constitution permitting the improvement of state lands before sale was our idea. We secured the earlier opening of thousands of acres of Chippewa lands. We urged state aid for county agents and got it. Much game and fish legislation we advocated was secured. We were the first to advocate trunk line highway system legislation in various forms and we now have the Bakers plan as put through the legislature with the name of one of our members, Senator McGarry attached to it. We urged the establishment of a department of Agriculture and we have it. We urged weed laws and seed certification laws and we have them and they will be improved. We boosted consolidated schools so hard that it is sometimes questioned whether we did not over reach ourselves in some instances. Numerous others might be named.

There are many more things necessary. We must keep up good work. We must continue to be fair, asking for those things always for Northern Minnesota which are fair to us and to other parts of the State. We must confer together regularly as we have in the past and present, a united front and we will continue to win for Northern Minnesota its chance to develop and grow.

Gentlemen, I am proud today. I am proud to have been since its organization in February, 1910 a member of an organization which has shown such excellent work for its part of the state. I am proud to think that we were able to build an organization on a plan which made it a permanent working organization, one which has weathered all the storms of the past ten years, has always been fair, and that promises always to continue to be an organization which will help Northern Minnesota.

M. N. KOLL

Nature's Color Scheme.

Imagine the grass of the field and the leaves of the forest created blue, or magenta, or scarlet, instead of green! Some speculative scientists think the foliage of the planet Mars is red, and that the people there are seeing red continually. It would not be difficult to believe that keeping the peace on this good green earth is not as hard as it would be had our planet been painted red in the beginning.—Minneapolis Journal.

COUNTESS GANNA WALSKA



Countess Ganna Walska, Russian actress, who was secretly wed to New York's wealthiest bachelor, Alexander Smith Cochran, in Paris.

The Bubonic Plague.

The bubonic plague is an epidemic disease which has been very prevalent and terribly destructive in almost every part of the eastern hemisphere since the Third century B. C., and probably before that time. From the discoloration of the skin by effusions of blood, which is characteristic of severe and fatal cases, it became known as the Black Death. The disease is unknown in the tropics. It has prevailed most extensively in temperate climates, and it is not of infrequent occurrence in cold countries such as Russia, Sweden and Norway. A moist and moderately warm climate is most favorable to its development, while intense heat or cold will usually arrest it.

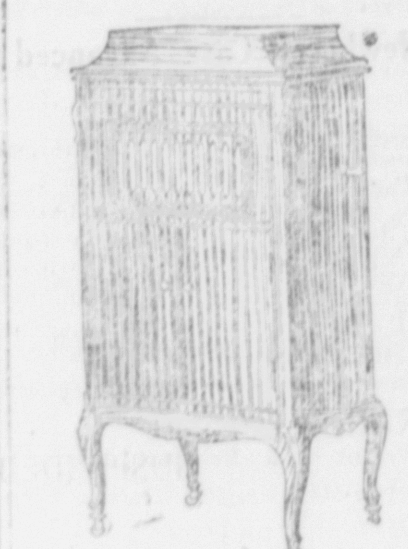
Making Talk.

Much vitality is wasted in useless talk. Some people, when they meet, are embarrassed if there is a moment's halt in the conversation. That is foolish. Talk less and think more.

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Here is the idea: Fifty dollars will leave the family of a coolie in comfortable circumstances for the rest of their lives.

Picture yourself laying your head on a smooth block and watching a husky Chinaman handling a chopping axe getting ready to cut off your head.

Would you sacrifice your life in order that your family might live in comfort after your death? WOULD YOU? NO. Neither would I or any other man in America.

We are in a great country where we have plenty of opportunity to earn money, and we can provide for our families' present and future livelihood, by working, and using good judgment in investing our savings.

Now we come to the big question—"How can a man invest what money he has to invest so that he is sure nothing will happen to it and so that he is sure his loved ones will be able to get it immediately, when the time of need arises?"

This sentence will answer that question: "Ninety per cent of all business men leave no estates behind them—UNLESS IT IS LIFE INSURANCE." Yes, you have figured that statement out correctly. It does prove that life insurance is the safest, surest investment that a man can make.

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1920

PRICES WORKING DOWNWARD

It is gratifying to know that prices of the most commodities in textile lines and even some items in food-stuffs are on the downward trend and that deflation of war-time costs is taking place in practically all articles of wearing apparel and home-furnishings.

We are working back to lower living costs slowly but surely, which is the way we must work back to avoid such losses to holders of merchandise that the business of the country would be disrupted entirely.

If prices should decline sharply in steel, lumber, cottons, woolens and other basic commodities in a general depression there would be great failures, a genuine panic and no market for any of the things that people have to sell. Farm products would be carried down in the general depression that would follow a severe break in markets that would upset the business of the country.

So, in spite of our eagerness to see merchandise priced on lower levels it is well that we consider this absolute fact that deflation must take place in an orderly manner. Prices must work downward gradually. We must all consider the part we must play in getting the business of the country back to a safe and sane basis and a solid foundation for the future.

In an impartial survey of the present merchandise situation we arrive at the following conclusions: Merchandise now in the hands of the retail merchants was made at high cost of production. To duplicate this merchandise will require several months' running of mills and factories. The next lot of goods that comes over the looms and machines will be priced lower than are the goods that must be consumed this fall and winter, but new goods cannot be made and distributed in time for use by the consumer this year or until well into 1921.

When we see in the papers that raw materials are much lower and that it costs much less as a result to manufacture clothing or dress goods, it is only natural that we jump to the conclusion that when we go into the home store we will find prices very much lower than they were the last time we visited the store.

If we just stop for a moment and give this proposition a thought we will realize that the blankets we wish to buy or the underwear or hosiery we need were made up months ago and that it will take many months to duplicate them. If we need them this year we must buy them now. If we can wait until next year they may be lower in price.

It may be stated with exact truth that in all channels of trade from the manufacturer to the retailer a genuine effort is being made to get prices down. Profits are being cut in every case where it is possible to cut them and for that reason retail prices are considerably lower today than they were a few weeks ago and they will continue downward.

Merchants in looking ahead now see a prospect for lower prices, while previous to this time they could see nothing but still higher costs confronting them. In marking their merchandise this changed condition is being taken into account. This means a lower mark-up on the goods now going into stocks.

We all owe a duty to business in general this fall. We don't want to see a business failure in our country. It is up to us to buy the things we need in our homes and for our families. We must do our part toward using up the goods that are made to make room for the goods that will be made and ready for us next year. That is a duty that we all owe for the general welfare and to speed the readjustment that is now going on so satisfactorily throughout the nation.

SELF-DETERMINATION FOR GREECE

There is a natural temptation for the allies to interfere with the return

of Constantine to the Greek throne. France and England cannot forget the meddling and the harmful part he played in the early part of the world war, and they fear to have a pro-German king in Athens again, muddling the war settlement of the eastern Mediterranean countries. They cannot forget, either, that it was they who raised up modern Greece as an independent nation, and placed Constantine's grandfather on the throne, under a guarantee of constitutional conduct. It is a bitter pill, and perhaps a menace, to have the kaiser's brother-in-law return to power.

Nevertheless, if it is the will of the Greek people that their exiled king should return, how can the allies consistently interfere. If the principle of self-determination is sound, it is universal. Greece has, according to this principle, as much right to swing back to her ante-bellum regime as had the United States. When France and Britain intervened and drove Constantine from Greece, they gave as their legal justification the vote of the Greek nation in favor of Venizelos and against Constantine. Now, when that vote is reversed, the will of the people should still prevail.

The only legitimate question is as to whether the people have really expressed their will in this case. Constantine himself implies the doubtful nature of the verdict in the recent election, when he asks for a plebiscite on the specific question whether he shall return to the throne. If he wins in such a referendum, fairly conducted, no outside nation has a right to interfere. Fundamental principles of freedom are more important than temporary advantage. Let the Greeks, then, take back their pro-German king if they will, and forego all the friendly co-operation of the allies and the great advantages Venizelos won for them at Versailles. The rest of the freedom-loving world is bitterly disappointed, but the world can stand it if they can, until bitter experience brings them again to their senses.

ROPE FOR THE REDS

With the overwhelming defeat of Gen. Wrangel by the soviet forces in southern Russia, the last hope of overcoming bolshevism by force seems to have vanished. The allies could send into Russia armies big enough and strong enough to crush the red menace, but that would be a burdensome and perhaps unprofitable venture. It is now recognized almost everywhere that Russia had better be left, if possible, to work out her own salvation. It is therefore a question of waiting for some new champion of freedom to arise in Russia and undertake a counter-revolution under better auspices, or else of dismissing any hope of eliminating bolshevism by force and trusting to economic law to accomplish that end.

The latter is perhaps the best solution, after all. If bolshevism is crushed by force, whether from within or without, its advocates can always maintain that it did not have a chance to demonstrate its superiority as a political and economic system. Left to itself, with a fair field, combatting nothing but the forces of human nature and material nature, it seems destined to certain disaster. Relentless natural law and common sense will vanquish it in the end.

The universe itself is against Lenin and Trotsky, and it may be just as well to stop worrying about the matter, and let the universe do it by its usual process of giving fools enough rope to hang themselves.

AGE AND TEETH

Some enterprising dentist ought to exploit the case of Zora Mohamed. Zora is said to be the oldest man in the world, despite the claims of a certain super-centenarian in Kentucky. He says he is 146. In partial corroboration, he submits a son aged 90. There is no question that Zora is extremely old. If he were a horse, the question might be settled approximately by his teeth. But he isn't a horse, and he hasn't any teeth of his own. Moreover, on second thought, a horse as old as Zora probably would not have any teeth either—so there you are.

But to the point! This venerable patriarch has been having a bad spell of indigestion, and it's all on account of those same teeth. He ruined the original set during the Napoleonic wars, by biting a 500-pound weight with them. He worried along without any for a generation or two, and then took to false teeth, and thus managed to get through another half-century. Then 20 years ago he bought a new set, and these, he explains, have made trouble for him, until finally the difficulty of mastication resulted in the aforesaid indigestion.

"When I get a new set of teeth that fit," says Zora, "I'll be all right for another half-century." And maybe he will. Nothing promotes longevity

more than thorough mastication, the doctors say.

Archduke Ferdinand of Austria is foolish to offer his services as a butler for \$5 a day. Many an American millionaire would pay him \$50, and think a real duke cheap at the price.

Why lambast those Osage Indians for squandering their easy oil money for automobiles and victrolas? Don't enlightened white men do the same thing?

If the league of nations succeeds in surmounting all other obstacles, somebody is sure to spring the Irish question on it.

"Where do we go from here?" The most wholesome sign of the times is the way the bottom has fallen out of the silk shirt business.

The American people are just beginning to learn that war is not a prosperity-producer but an expensive luxury.

Pike's Peak was discovered in 1806, and the peak of prices in 1920; and compared with the latter, the former was only a piker.

Rome baking is advocated as a means of securing cheaper bread. If you want to bring it down, raise it yourself.

According to the present outlook, Tommy in Ireland will soon be asking

FOOTBALL RESULTS

West

Michigan, 3; Minnesota, 6.
 Carleton, 17; Macalester, 6.
 Ohio, 7; Illinois, 9.
 Wisconsin, 3; Chicago, 9.
 Notre Dame, 33; Northwestern, 9.
 Nebraska, 35; Michigan Aggies, 7.
 Iowa, 14; Ames, 6.
 Ripon, 21; Beloit, 6.
 Indiana, 14; Purdue, 9.
 De Pauw, 3; Wabash, 9.
 Morningside, 14; Drake, 6.
 Grinnell, 17; Cornell, 6.
 Haskell, 33; Oklahoma Aggies, 7.
 Oklahoma, 7; Kansas Aggies, 7.
 Marquette, 10; North Dakota, 9.
 Oregon, 9; Oregon Aggies, 6.
 California, 38; Stanford, 6.
 Arizona, 28; New Mexico, 7.
 Idaho, 20; Montana, 7.

East

Yale, 6; Harvard, 9.
 Pennsylvania, 27; Columbia, 7.
 Dartmouth, 14; Brown, 6.
 Syracuse, 14; Colgate, 9.
 Lafayette, 27; Lehigh, 7.
 Carnegie Tech, 6; Washington, and Jefferson, 6.
 Amherst, 14; Williams, 7.
 Boston College, 13; Marietta, 3.
 Washington and Lee, 17; Georgetown, 7.
 Union, 7; Hamilton, 3.
 Villa Nova, 13; Catholic University, 6.
 Fordham, 13; Muhlenberg, 6.
 Stevens, 21; New York University, 14.
 Dickinson, 35; Delaware, 7.
 Johns Hopkins, 49; Western Maryland, 9.

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Beautiful women have their poets and their artists who do justice to their perfections, but some of the most famous women, either from their own or their husband's talents or position, have been frumps, says London Answers.

Mrs. Samuel Johnson was nearly twice the age of the celebrated sage of Fleet street; a widow, with several children as old as the man she married.

Lord Macaulay, in his famous essay, says: "To ordinary spectators the lady appeared to be a short, fat, coarse woman, painted half an inch thick, dressed in gaudy colors, and fond of exhibiting provincial airs and graces. But to Johnson his 'Titty,' as he called her, was the most beautiful, graceful and accomplished of her sex."

Caroline of Brunswick is the subject of one of Romney's most charming pictures. Yet here is a contemporary description of her from a diary printed many years after her death:

"Her eyes projected like those of the royal family. She made her head large by wearing an immense wig. She also painted her eyebrows, which gave her face a strange, fierce look. Her skin—and she showed a great deal—was very red. She wore very high-heeled shoes, so that she bent forward when she stood or walked. Her feet and ankles were dreadful."

In the same diary appears a description of the famous Mme. de Stael, the most brilliant woman of her time:

"Her face was that of a black-mother attempted to be washed white. She wore a wig like a bunch of withered heather, and over that a turban, which looked as if it had been put on in the dark; a short neck, and shoulders rising so much behind that they almost amounted to a hump." Yet she had all the airs of a great beauty, and

her salon was sought by all the wits and beaux.

George Eliot, whose centenary has lately been kept, was an exceedingly plain woman. It was said that she had a massive head, but as a rule a massive head does not look very elegant on a slim, straight-down sort of figure. Besides, she cared nothing about dress, and would probably have been better content if, like Rosa Bonheur, she could have got a special dispensation to "wear the trousers."

Nevertheless, she was a most charming woman and a very good housewife. She used to pride herself that she could turn from "Romola" to cookery.

That Biggest Gold Shipment.

The Cunarder Aquitania arrived at New York the other day from Southampton, via Cherbourg, with the biggest shipment of gold ever carried on one steamship to this country.

The gold bullion was packed in 384 wooden boxes clamped with iron bands and the value estimated at 18 1/2 million dollars in United States currency. On the voyage it was kept in the specie room under charge of the purser and the chief officer.

The entrance to the specie room was guarded the entire trip and was watched by members of the crew and the company's detectives from the pier until the gold was taken from the ship. The greater part of the specie goes to the Federal Reserve bank toward the payment of Great Britain's share of the Anglo-French loan due October 15.

The largest shipment of gold previously carried on one vessel was 13 1/2 million dollars, taken on the North German Lloyd liner Ceclie in August, 1914, for England, but brought back to America when Capt. Charles Pollock received warning by wireless that war was imminent.

Defining Friends.

Friends are the people that some fellows expect always to get them out of trouble.—Detroit Free Press.

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FARM BUREAU DRIVE STARTED

125 Farmers Gathered at Chamber of Commerce Rooms on Monday Morning and Completed Plans

GAIN EXPERIENCED SOLICITORS
Solicitors Taken in Charge by Different Township Chairmen to Carry on Canvass

The Crow Wing County Farm Bureau membership drive was launched at the Chamber of Commerce rooms Monday morning with a large booster meeting, 125 farmers being present from all parts of the county.

The meeting was opened by County Agent E. G. Roth, who in part explained the Farm Bureau movement. He was followed by S. B. Cleveland, County Agent Leader, who told of the work of the State and National Federations. A. E. Smith, State Leader for the State Solicitor, explained the work and aims of the Farm Bureau.

Bert Sabin, county delegate to the State Federation, told of the work of the State Federation. Mr. Merritt of Aitkin county also told of the possibilities of Farm Bureaus.

The meeting closed at 12:30 p. m. and the solicitors were taken in charge by the different township chairmen and started with a real promise of success. The membership fee is \$5. The solicitors will start on the southern tier of townships and work northward. Files are to be kept of every farmer solicited.

MRS. MINNIE KRUEGER

Died at Home of Son-in-Law and Daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Weber, 412 South 5th St.

Mrs. Minnie Krueger, age 75, died from old age and complications at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Weber of 412 South Fifth street. She leaves six children. The two daughters are Mrs. A. H. Springer of Eau Claire, Wis., and Mrs. G. D. Weber of Brainerd. The four sons are George Krueger of Little Falls; Emil Krueger of Ryder, N. D.; Theodore Krueger of Ironton; Al Krueger of St. Martins.

She was a kind, charitable lady with many friends and before coming to Brainerd had made her home in Little Falls. She was a member of the German Evangelical church. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence and at 3 o'clock from the Bethlehem Evangelical church of Bluff and Tenth, the officiating minister being Rev. Herrman of Little Falls.

Hock Chung Killed Many "Fritzie's" at "Charley Terry"

Hock Chung is yellow, bland and almond eyed, and is a disabled soldier, a patient in one of our hospitals in Minnesota that are caring for Uncle Sam's disabled men. He is responsible for most of the casualties in the German Army (at least he thinks he is). He admitted to a Red Cross worker he would rather send "Fritzie's" West than prepare the accursed soy bean in his uncle's chop suey joint in Butte, Montana, or "splinkle" unioned shirts in his brother's "Laundry" in Grand Forks, North Dakota. Yes, its "Velly much better" to fight Fritzie's. His greatest battles he says were fought at "Charley Terry" and "Old Gloone Forest". He says the "Led Closs, velly ring ting; Led Closs, him do anyting; Led Closs girls, velly plitty".

If these adopted sons of our country are loyal Red Cross members, can we "honest-to-goodness" 100% Americans afford to drop our membership in this great organization.

He Feels Ten Years Younger

Any man or woman suffering from lame back, headache, stiff joints, sore muscles, rheumatic pains, or any symptom of kidney or bladder trouble will be interested in this from H. Bryde, 925 Garden St., Hoboken, N. J. "I feel ten years younger, and when my wife has taken Foley Kidney Pills she will, too." H. P. Dunn, druggist.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured, by Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF COUNTY FAIR ASS'N.

W. A. M. Johnstone of Brainerd Re-elected a Director of the Fair Association

\$2,000 WAS PAID IN PREMIUMS

Indebtedness is Reduced Over \$500 and \$800 is Put into Permanent Improvements

(Pequot Review)
F. G. Schrader and L. H. Dudgeon of Pequot and C. E. Rodean of Jenkins were elected directors of the Crow Wing Agricultural Society at the annual meeting at the village hall Monday.

There was scant interest in the meeting, and the rescue of the necessary twenty-five members was just secured—with one to spare.

The meeting was called to order by President Schrader, and in the absence of the secretary, Benn A. Wagner was appointed.

The minutes of last year's annual meeting were read and approved.

The report of the treasurer was read in detail. This report showed that nearly \$2000 had been paid in premiums, and as all the premium checks had not been cashed, the total will go over this mark. This report also showed that the association had reduced the indebtedness over \$500 and had put over \$800 into permanent improvements.

The fact that some sort of pass outs are necessary at the fair, and various suggestions were made for providing these in such a manner as to protect the society. As left, this is a matter for the directors to work out.

W. A. M. Johnston of Brainerd and F. G. Schrader and A. C. Larson of Pequot were elected delegates to the meeting of the association of county fairs in Minneapolis in January.

The board of directors is to hold a meeting on Tuesday of next week to elect the officers of the society for the coming year.

NORTHWEST NEWS

Preparing for Thanksgiving
St. Paul, Nov. 22.—Community wide observance of Thanksgiving week was under way today.

Downtown stores in the Twin Cities placed special window displays to exemplify the spirit of patriotism as well as Thanksgiving.

Community gatherings will feature the week.

Asks Permission to Issue Stock

St. Paul, Nov. 22.—Officials of the Burlington Route were in Washington today requesting from the interstate commerce commission permission to issue \$60,000,000 additional capital stock and \$100,000,000 worth of first and refunding mortgage bonds. President Ralph Budd of the Great Northern railway and other Great Northern officials also were in Washington, petitioning in behalf of the Burlington interests. Their presence there was the subject of great interest in the northwest in view of reports that have arisen over a period of years that the Great Northern and Burlington Route would be consolidated.

E. C. Lindley, vice-president of the Great Northern and some representatives of the Northern Pacific were also expected to appear before the commission.

North Dakota Gets Airplane Unit.

Bismarck, Nov. 22.—North Dakota has been awarded one of the aeroplane units to be formed for the 34th division. It will consist of an observation squadron of 31 officers and 122 men, and 13 airplanes and an air park composed of three officers and 172 men.

Under tentative plans the infantry organization will include three machine companies instead of one and nine infantry companies instead of twelve.

It was suggested and favored that troops of the north spend a few weeks every winter in the south drilling.

Municipal Fuel Yard Rejected.

Mandan, Nov. 22.—Mandan by a close vote, has rejected the municipal fuel yard advocated by the Central Labor body.

"One Way to Dispense."

A pharmacist was dissatisfied with a youthful assistant and requested him to look for another job, remarking to a customer as the boy was leaving: "I can dispense without him."—Boys' Life.

38TH ANNUAL BALL OF ROSE COMPANY

Committee on Arrangements for the Thanksgiving Ball Headed by Robert Gustafson

BLUE RIBBON ORCHESTRA PLAYS

Reception Committee Headed by A. C. White, Floor by Dean White, Refreshments R. Gustafson

Hope Hose company No. 1 will give its 38th annual ball at Gardner auditorium on Thanksgiving night, November 25. The Blue Ribbon orchestra will play.

The committee on arrangements is headed by Chairman Robert Gustafson and his associates Mac McCulloch and A. C. White. The reception committee includes A. C. White, James Buley and C. C. Hagberg. The floor committee is Dean White and George D. Webber. On the refreshment committee is Robert Gustafson.

These dances of the fire company are always social events of considerable magnitude and every dance in the history of the company has been a success.

BRAINERD MAN COMES TO SHOPLIFTER'S AID WITH PROMISE TO WED

Judge Reduces Fine to \$400 Upon Appearance of Hubby-to-Be

Milwaukee, Nov. 21.—Anna Kalla, alias Anna Sanger, who was arrested as she walked from a downtown department store with a \$275 fur coat under her cape, was fined \$400 in municipal court Saturday.

It developed that two years ago she met and loved Louis Sanger, an electrician in Minneapolis. They eloped to Milwaukee where the two took up their residence as man and wife at the Delaware hotel. Dorothy, now 15 months old, was added to the family.

Louis was employed by the Andrac Electrical company until two months ago when he went to Brainerd, Minn.

Detectives say they found more than \$500 worth of furs, dresses and silky things in her room.

The judge at first imposed a sentence of \$500 or six months in the county jail. Attorney Dennis Sullivan pleaded for clemency. He said that Sanger would marry Anna. The court modified the sentence when Mr. Sanger said that \$400 was all he could raise.

Dorothy is in the home for dependent children but will be given a place in the new home.

NOTICE—CURRENT OFF

Electric current will be turned off 1 to 3 p. m., Tuesday, Nov. 23, in residence section, in order to work on transformers.

WATER & LIGHT BOARD, by Secy.



EXAMINATION FOR ENGINEERS

To be Held at the City Hall on Tuesday, November 23, Beginning at 8 in the Morning

EXAMINERS, RICH AND BROWN

About Thirty Applicants to be Examined from the 45th and 53rd Districts of State

Examinations for engineers' licenses, all grades, will be held at Brainerd Tuesday, Nov. 23 at the city hall, commencing at 8 a. m.

There are about thirty applicants coming from Rice, St. Cloud, Sauk Center, Little Falls, Upsala, Royalton, Swanville, Crosby, Ironton, Riverton, comprising the 45th and 53rd districts. The examiners are A. L. Rich of St. Paul and P. T. Brown of Brainerd.

MASONIC DANCING PARTY

For All Masons and Visiting Brothers and Their Ladies at Masonic Hall Tuesday Evening

Tuesday evening, November 23, Ascalon Commandery No. 16 Knight Templar will give a dancing party to all Masons, including visiting brothers, and their ladies.

Invitations have been sent out to the Masonic bodies as far as Aitkin, Staples, Pine River, and Little Falls, and it is confidently hoped that all Masons that can make it all convenient, will present themselves for a good time.

Music will be furnished by the Blue Ribbon orchestra and trapeze served.

The committee have striven hard to do their duty, but should anyone be lacking a personal invitation, they are requested to consider the number involved, and come anyway.

She Says It Can't Be Beat

Deep seated coughs that get hold of one in Autumn should be stopped now or they may continue all winter. Mrs. Wm. F. Davis, R. F. D. 1, Short Creek, W. Va., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar can't be beat for colds." It checks coughs and bronchial irritation, heals raw, inflamed throat, loosens phlegm. H. P. Dunn, druggist. mwf

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Community Prosperity

Generally speaking, it is only as the community prospers that the individual prospers.

And only as the individual prospers does the community prosper.

All of which indicates that we must work together for the prosperity of Brainerd in order to insure growth and progress.

This bank, as an integral part of the community, is always glad to co-operate in promoting every worthy civic enterprise. Let's all be boosters!

Brainerd State Bank
Brainerd Minnesota



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TO INTERNATIONAL FALLS

Dr. H. G. Ingersoll of Brainerd Has Formed a Partnership With Dr. E. A. Thompson

Dr. H. G. Ingersoll, for ten years a dentist in Brainerd, has formed a partnership with Dr. E. A. Thompson of International Falls and will leave for that city Tuesday night. Dr. Ingersoll's family will join him by the first of next month.

Dr. Ingersoll was very successful in Brainerd where he gained a large clientele and made many friends. He is the son of Mrs. N. H. Ingersoll, was born and raised in the city and attended the University of Minnesota. His partner married Miss Esther Bellmuth of this city.

Friends are assured the new firm will be successful and extend their best wishes.

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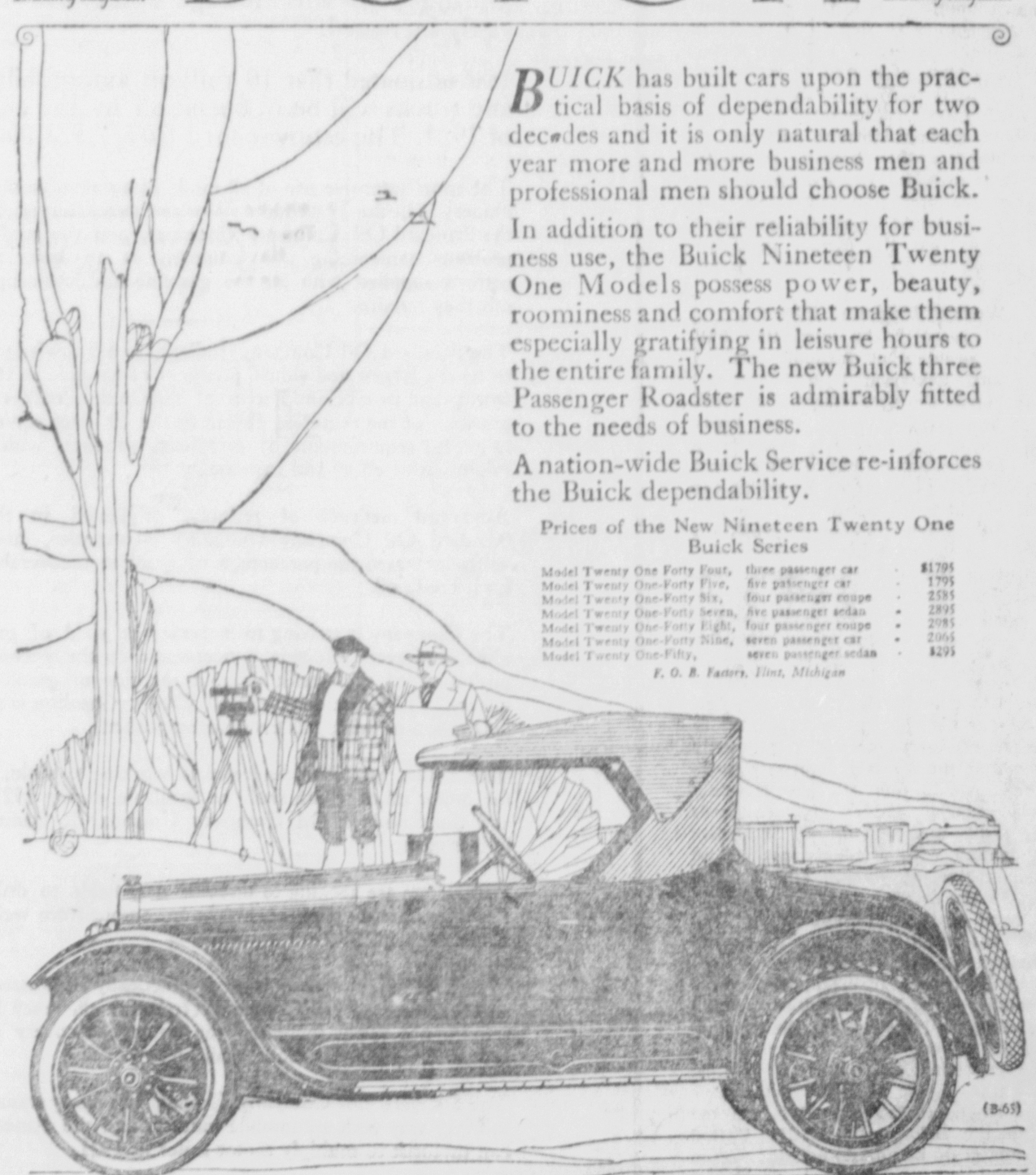
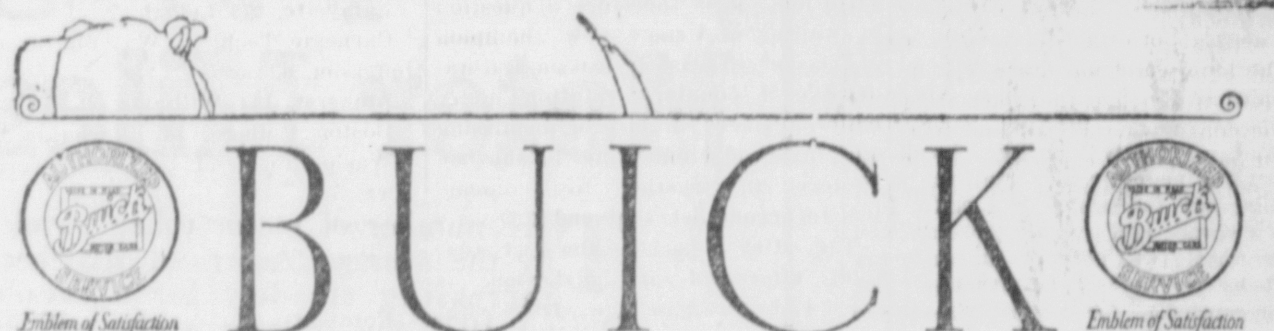
Quickly Relieves Constipation

Don't take purgatives for Constipation—they act harshly—they overstrain the delicate membrane and leave the bowels in a worse condition than before. If you are troubled with Constipation, Sick Headache, Indigestion, Soar Stomach, Bizziness, Biliousness, Nervousness, or loss of Appetite, don't hesitate—Get a bottle of CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS—take one after each meal and one at bedtime. A few days' treatment will put Stomach, Liver and Bowels in normal condition.



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FARM POPULATION IS SADLY DRAINED

DAANGEROUS CONDITION WHICH
WILL RESULT IN REDUCED
PRODUCTION OF CROPS.

HIGHER PRICES TO FOLLOW

These, Says Secretary of Agriculture
Meredith, Must Be Stabilized So the
Farmer May Be Assured of Reason-
able Profits.

By JAMES P. HORNADAY.
Washington.—Edwin T. Meredith, secretary of agriculture, says that the higher wages paid in industries, the shorter hours, the conveniences and other advantages of city life, have drained the farm population, especially in the vicinity of large manufacturing centers, almost to the danger point. The supply of farm labor was 37 per cent below estimated requirements last spring. The acreage to be harvested in food crops this season is about 11 per cent less than last year. Only a favorable season and much more than eight hours a day labor by farmers and their families have, the secretary says, made possible the abundant crops this year. A continued reduction of the farm labor supply through conditions which make it impossible for farmers to compete on equal terms with other industries, in conjunction with an unfavorable season, will result in reduced production of many crops, which will naturally bring about high prices of food in cities and add greatly to industrial problems, he asserts.

"It should be borne in mind that after the season has progressed beyond planting time, no power on earth can increase the production of food and raw material on farms beyond the capacity of the acreage already planted," said the secretary in discussing this subject. "In other words, a whole year or more is involved in the preparation of the soil and in seeding and harvesting, and, therefore, to insure that an adequate acreage is planted to provide an ample production in an average season, farm prices must be so stabilized as to hold out to the farmer a reasonable prospect that, at the close of the crop season, he will find a ready market at prices which will compensate him for his labor and investment."

Farmer Must Get Adequate Prices.

Secretary Meredith says that the farmer must receive adequate prices for his products, prices which will enable him to continue to produce, to secure a reasonable return for his efforts, and to maintain a satisfactory standard of living for himself and for his family.

"There may be people who think that only the farmer is adversely affected if he fails to secure adequate prices," said he. "If the farmer stops producing he will suffer, of course; but the manufacturer and the merchant and the banker will suffer just as severely, and possibly more so. And the farmer will not keep on producing adequately unless he receives fair compensation for his efforts—unless he can maintain his family in approximately the same degree of comfort that the city family enjoys. Every business man, of course, is interested in keeping the farmer on the farm and in having the farm operated to its reasonable capacity, turning as much as possible into the channels of trade, manufacture and transportation, and this means, of course, that every business man should be vitally interested in seeing that the farmer gets fair treatment in the marketing of his products."

Work of Bureau of Markets.

Until recently the marketing half of the problem of farming received very little attention in any organized way. Even the department of agriculture had gone on for a great many years investigating nearly every problem of production but paying scant attention to the methods by which the products were to reach a market and be sold in such way as to provide a profit for the producer.

During the last eight years, however, there has been organized and developed a bureau of markets, which is now one of the largest and most important of the 17 great divisions of the department. The bureau studies methods of preserving fruits and vegetables in transit and storage and of preventing the waste which frequently occurs as the result of improper methods of packing and storing. It establishes market grades and standards for fruits and vegetables. It assists in dealing with problems involved in co-operative purchasing and marketing. In the foreign marketing of agricultural commodities, and in improved business practices for marketing organizations. In a large way, it concerns itself with grain standardization, handling and transportation, cotton standardization and marketing, the marketing of cotton seed and its products, the determination of cotton standards, and the supervision of stock yards and live stock dealers. It is charged with the enforcement of the United States grain standards act, the cotton futures act, the federal warehouse act, and the standard container act. Generally speaking, it is engaged in all the lines of work that will, in time, make easier and more economical the distribution of products from the farmer to the consumer.

Many a rich girl makes a poor wife.

Today's Geography



FUTURE OF SYRIA AFFECTS CIVILIZED WORLD

More and more frequently the spotlight swings to Syria. The Syrians declared their country independent, and chose Prince Faisal as king. Faisal reigned a few days. The French set up a temporary government, and now Faisal seeks restoration.

Syria's future concerns the entire world, for it is coming into its own as a result of new railways which make it once more a link land in history's chain. Explaining the significance of recent events, a communication by Maynard Owen Williams says:

"Syria closes the east end of the Mediterranean and is bounded on the north by the Taurus mountains. The Syrian and Arabian deserts limit further settlement to the east and south. But in connection with world commerce it has always been closely related to the fertile valleys of the Nile and the twin Mesopotamia rivers, and its commercial life of tomorrow cannot be divorced from that of Mesopotamia."

"The future of Syria depends upon the development of two ports and upon who controls these strategic centers of politics and commerce. Alexandria and Haifa attain new importance as the Dardanelles are internationalized and free passage, open to all nations, cuts across what Germany was forging as a Berlin-to-Bagdad route, all but 200 miles of which, between Nisfin and Tektir, a few miles above Samarra, is now complete.

"This new line of traffic from Alexandria past Aleppo to the Euphrates river at Jرابلس, connecting the oldest routes of international commerce, also separates two important lingual groups, for Turkish is generally spoken to the north of the railway and Arabic to the south.

"Whatever political adjustment is made between England and France, Italy and Greece, Arabia and Syria, conservative Mecca and liberal Beirut,

Zionist and Greek Orthodox, Christian and Moslem, Maronite and Druse, the line of division between the Turkish and Arabic tongues will be significant, for language differences as well as those of race exert a profound effect on political life in the Levant.

"Syria is the hub of the Afro-Eurasian continents, and with every rail-



A Woman of Syria.

way that reaches out to Bremen, Baku, Bokhara, Burma or Bismarck, the central region of the world's greatest land-mass achieves new significance.

"Aside from its importance as a trade route, Syria will find its greatest future as an agricultural nation, and has extensive regions which can be made to produce large crops."

CAIRO: ANCIENT CAPITAL ATTAINS NEW POLITICAL IMPORTANCE

Egypt's capital attains new political importance as the administration seat of the more liberal home rule granted the ancient empire by Great Britain.

Cairo, "Queen of the Nile Valley," the "Paris of the Levant," or "the diamond stud on the handle of the falchion of the Delta," as your imagination prefers, has about the population of Boston and a record of disorders that makes

boishevism a nouveau-anarchy.

picturesqueness all its own.

From the citadel ramparts the visitor receives the best introduction to Cairo, that unforgettable view—the ancient city at his feet, a vast panorama of houses and palaces and hovels, flecked with cupolas, minarets and towers; the island-dotted river and the verdant Nile valley ever widening toward the north, yellow cliffs to the east, and beyond them the desert. The sea of sand suggests limitless space until the faint outlines of the pyramids against the horizon turn one's thoughts from space to time.

Descend to the streets of Cairo and encounter bedlam. "City of the Arabian Nights," perhaps, but certainly the days loose a thousand and one noises. There are the rattle of carts, cries of the water bearers, moaning of camels, braying of donkeys, whirling of taxicabs, jangling of coins in the open bazars, continual shouts from pilots of this traffic medley, such as "thy foot, sir" or "to thy left, Oh chief," all in the native tongue, of course.

Gorgeous colors of every hue and shade assail the eye—a post-impressionistic fanfare of prehistoric color schemes. The poorer the Egyptian the more ragged; the more rags the more colors. Then again the Arabs denote their families and dynasties by turbans of distinctive colors. To tell a prophet's scion from a priest of today, or one dervish order from another, or any of the countless dynasties and sects apart, requires a study of turban lore as complicated as the numerous insignia worn by American soldiers returned from France.

The richer women, attended by servants, may be seen in carriages, faces veiled to their eyes, eye lashes and lids, fingers and exposed toes darkened with henna, and bedecked with earrings, anklets, beads and bracelets. Poorer women go afoot, also veiled, garbed in plain robes highly suggestive of "Mother Hubbards."

In the street crowds, too, are the beggars whose baboons serve the purpose of the monkeys of our organ grinders; snake charmers, vendors of the ubiquitous serapi, and tiny graven images, and the Berber head boys,

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FOR SALE—5 room brick house at 1204, 15th St. Call at 1418 Washington Ave. 50-1391tf

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FOR RENT—Garage at 407 So. 7th St. 92-143tfws

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WANTED—Boarders. 213 No. 9th St. Phone 528-M. 9679-91tf

WANTED—Boarders at 1509, S. E. Pine St. 78-142tf

LOST—Chain on Gull lake road. Please call 535-J. 120-147tf

WANTED—Work for team. Will do any kind of hauling. Phone 1165-J. 9943-124tf

WANTED—Lady wants work to do at home. Call 271-M. 117-147tf

LOST—Boys blue scarf with white border. Phone 481. 102-144tf

FOUND—In Gardner hall, mens over-shoes. Recover at Dispatch office. 113-147tf

FOUND—Black leather gauntlet mitten. Owner can recover at this office. 114-147tf

ROOM AND BOARD—In modern home. 213 No. 9th St. Phone 528-M. 108-146tf

WANTED—Carpenter wants work. Inquire upstairs over S. E. Meat Market on 13th St. 98-144tf

LOST—Child's khaki coat belt with buckle, on north side. Phone 640-R or return to Dispatch. 99-144tf

LOST—15 or 20 head of ewes. Finder please notify J. I. Daugherty, Pequot, Minn. 93-143tf

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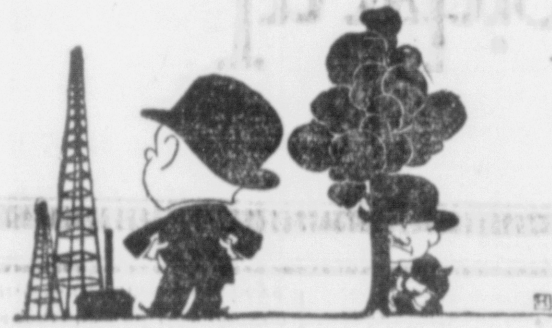
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The severest wear on solid tires is caused by driving on the car tracks, according to an official of a rubber company, quoted by the Scientific American. He says that when on the tracks most of the load is concentrated on a limited portion of the tread, so that it is overloaded and quickly worn away, besides, a sharp pointed frog may actually cut a piece off the tire just as a knife would.

In which we double- cross a master mind



TALK ABOUT dime novels.

THEY SENT Jim down.

TO TEXAS to investigate.

SOME OIL wells there.

WHICH THEY might buy.

IF JIM said O.K.

AND HE was to report.

BY WIRE in secret code.

NOW—ENTER the villain.

A SLIPPERY crook.

GOT WIND of it.

AND TRAILED Jim down.

COPIED OFF his code.

AND BRIBED a boob.

IN THE telegraph branch.

SO THE crook could get.

THE EARLIEST word.

AND CORNER stock.

AND WORK a hold-up.

IT LOOKED like easy coin.

BUT JIM got wise.

AND THREW away his code.

AND WHEN he sent.

THE FINAL dope.

HE FOILED the villain.

THE MESSAGE just said.

"CHESTERFIELD."

AND HIS directors knew.

THAT ALL was well.

WITH THOSE oil wells.

FOR OIL men know.

THAT "CHESTERFIELD" means.

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The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is acknowledged to be the largest individual producer of gasoline in the world, and its efficient system of distribution makes it possible for the remotest citizen in the 10 states served to get his requirements of petroleum products with a minimum of effort and expense.

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